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ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR, OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL
ACTIVITIES, U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,
FEBRUARY 13-16, 1978

1. MRS. POPKIN SCHEDULED TO VISIT JAPAN FEBRUARY 13-16
AVAILABLE FOR MEETINGS FEBRUARY 14.15. PURPOSE OF TRIP
TO DISCUSS TOXIC SUBSTANCESANDOTHER ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES
WITH GOJ, MRS. POPKIN WOULD LIKE TO PAY COURTESY CALLS
ON DIRECTOR GENERAL YAMADA AND OTHER APPROPRIATE GOJ
OFFICIALS DURING HER STAY.

2. KIRK MACONAUGHEY TO ACCOMPANY MRS. POPKIN. MACONAUGHEY
WILL PRECEDE POPKIN'S ARRIVAL TO VISIT GOVERNMENT
RESEARCH INSTITUTES. EPA EXTREMELY INTERESTED IN EXPAND-
ING PROJECT AREAS UNDER ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT. WOULD
APPRECIATE EMBASSY ARRANGING TOUR OF JAPANESE RESEARCH
FACILITIES CONCERNED WITH AIR POLLUTION-HEALTH EFFECTS,
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WASTEWATER TREATMENT, WATER QUALITY ASSURANCE, RADIATION,
REMOTE SENSING TECHNIQUES, FRESHWATER AND MARINE ECOSYSTEMS,
MODELING, FRESH WATER, MARINE WATER RESEARCH, AND
PESTICIDES. DR. HIDEFUMI IMURA, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

DIVISION, ENVIRONMENT AGENCY, HAS OFFERED ASSISTANCE IN
SELECTION OF LABORATORIES AND INSTITUTES TO BE VISITED.

3. EXACT TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS AND REQUEST FOR HOTEL
ACCOMMODATIONS WILL FOLLOW IN SEPARATE CABLE. CHRISTOPHER

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